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Three of our regular ships Viz. the Charles Grant, Lowther Castle, and Earl Camden, anchored in the harbour late on Friday evening, and the Inglis, and Essex, early this morning, these ships left the Downs on the 27th January having been detained by adverse winds for three weeks. We have been kindly favored with a few late papers from which we have made some extracts, for the spur of the occasion.

These ships contrary to the received opinion have touched no where; the other ship, the Vansittart, may be hourly expected; the Bombay and Herefordshire, would not leave till February.

The following are the passengers by these ships.

PASSENGERS.

PER CHARLES GRANT. Dr. and Mrs. Sproule, Mr. and Mrs. Gray, Dr. Smyttan, Miss Smyttan, Major Salter, Lieut. Goodridge, H. C. Marine, Miss Higgins, Miss Pottinger, Miss I. C. Pottinger, Mr. Smith, *Cadet*, Mr. G. Scott, for Penang 80 troops, 20 marine boys.

PER EARL CAMDEN. Mr. Thomas Willis, Mr. J. Morley, Mr. George W. Blachley, Mrs. Jane Flynne, Mary Ann Flynne, Mr. James Hardy, H. M. 67th Regt. Lieut. Emer Baynham, Mr. Averel Leckly, Mr. Richard Jauns, Mr. Robert Baxter, Mrs. L. E. Baxter, Miss Parkhurst, Mr. Henry Christy, Mr. Curtes Cloak, Mr. J. Clendon, Mr. G. Pitcher, Mr. George Osborne.

PER H. C. SHIP INGLIS. Mrs. Jean Brackenbury, Emma Jean Brackenbury, child, Major J. Wellington, 17th Light Dragoons, Captain J. Brackenbury 17th Light Dragoons, Lieut. W. H. Fisk, 17th Light Dragoons, Surgeon George Ridsdale 47th Regiment, Lieut. H. Watts, 47th Regiment, Lieut. E. Mitchell 47th Regiment, Ensign A. O. Donnel, 65th Regiment, Mr. Harry Boradaile, Writer, Lieut. P. Breton, Bombay Artillery, William Dowall, Cadet, J. Dixon, Free Mariner, George Christian, Native Servant, 50 Troops 20 Marine Boys.

PER H. C. SHIP LOWTHER CASTLE. Major Parlby, Madras Establishment, Mrs. Parlby, Mrs. Mack, Miss C. Fordyce, Lieut. P. Terell, Bombay Marine,—Mr. G. Hyde, Mr. G. Blair, *Writers*.—Mr. William Reynolds, Mr. Charles Wright, Mr. E. Willoughby, Mr. James Lascelles, *Cadets*.—Mr. Bone, returning to Malacca.

PER H. C. SHIP ESSEX. Mr. Thomas Gidley, Mr. Otheniel Gidley, *Cadets*,—60 Recruits, 4 Women 4 Children.

The Marchioness of Hastings has selected the Hon'ble Company's ship Waterloo to take the voyage to Bengal in: the 30th January was fixed as the period of her Ladyship's departure.

Rear Admiral the Hon'ble Sir Henry Blackwood is appointed to succeed Sir R. King, as Commander in chief in the East Indies; he will proceed to India in the Leander, in September next.

Duke of Wellington made Master General of Ordnance 26th December.

Dec. 31st Ballot at East India house when W. Taylor Money Esq. was declared duly elected a Director.

for Mr. Money	627
Mr. Prescot	554
Mr. Ravenshaw	524

An alteration in the diet and regimen of our good old king had caused serious apprehensions with respect to the duration of his life.

January 5th The New Mission for exploring the Interior of Africa is under the direction of Mr. Ritchie, late private Secretary to our Ambassador at Paris His companion & second in the Mission is Lieut. Lyon, late of H. M. Ship Albion. The Bashaw and a Military escort attend them from Tripoli, (where they now are) to Mourzuk, and they are to have a like escort throughout their progress.

The Earl of Miltown is the Irish Peer whom rumour has reported the fortunate suitor of Miss Stephens, of Covent Garden Theatre.

Jan. 21st,—Parlianent commenced its regular business. The Prince Regent speech was read to both Houses by the commissioners appointed for that purpose.

Jan. 26th,—The Earl of Liverpool brought in a bill for the purpose of constituting his R. H. the Duke of York, the Guardian of his Majesty's Sacred person.

Jan. 14th,—Sir Murray Maxwell, has declined the contest for the Representation of Westminster, and left the field to Mr. Hobhouse.

Jan. 15th,—Yesterday Parliament, assembled. The Right Hon. Charles Manners Sutton, was elected Speaker of the House of Commons without opposition.

Jan. 11th, Married at St. George's Church, Hanover Square, the Most Noble George Marquis, of Blandford, to the Right Hon Lady Jane Stewart, eldest daughter of the Earl of Gallaway.

In October last the Right Hon. Lord Erskine, was married at Gretna Green, to Miss Sarah Buck, by whom he has had several children.

Died on the 26th Dec.—Her Majesty the Queen of Spain, Her Majesty's accouchement, was daily expected, but she appeared to have been in good Health, and was conversing with her attendants when she was suddenly seized with convulsions of which she died in about 20 minutes.

Lord Ellenborough died on the 12th December.

13th Jan. aged 81 Dr. Walcott, well known as Peter Pindar.

14th Jan. Earl Paulet aged 63.

We find no confirmation of the revolution in Spain.

The Catherine Stuart Forbes, Lamb, for Bombay was in the Downs in the end of December-

MEETING OF PARLIAMENT.

January, 21st 1819.

At three o'clock this day the Lord Chancellor having taken his seat on the Woolsack, attended by the other Lords Commissioners, the Commons, headed by their Speaker, attended at the Bar, when the Lord Chancellor delivered, by command of his Royal Highness the Prince Regent, the Speech of which the following is an abstract:

The Speech, after lamenting the continued indisposition of the King, proceeded to deplore the additional loss which the Royal Family and the Nation had sustained in the demise of her late Majesty Queen Charlotte, and called the attention of Parliament to the necessity, now that the situation which her Majesty had so long filled with such exemplary fidelity in the care of the King's person, was become vacant, of revising the Acts which had been passed in that respect.

His Royal Highness had the satisfaction of announcing to the House the evacuation of France by the Allied Troops, in consequence of the negociations recently entered into at Aix-la-Chapelle, all the necessary documents with respect to which, his Royal Highness had commanded to be laid before both Houses. His Royal Highness was further happy to state, that the highest satisfaction had been given to all parties concerned in these transactions, and that every disposition was manifested on the part of the Allied Powers to preserve the peace and tranquility of Europe.

A Treaty had been concluded between this country and the United States, for the continuation during a further period of the Commercial Relations subsisting between the two countries—and, as soon as the necessary Ratifications had been exchanged, a Copy of it would also be laid before the two Houses.

The Speech then addressing itself particularly to the Gentlemen of the House of Commons, stated. That his Royal Highness had commanded the proper Estimates for the Year to be laid before them. That he was happy at the same time to announce to them the great reductions which the present state of Europe had permitted to be made in our Naval and military Establishments; and that the Revenue had experienced, during the last year, a considerable increase in all its most important branches.

His Royal Highness had farther commanded that all the Papers relative to the recent hostilities in the East Indies, should be submitted to both Houses. That on all occasions, the Native Powers were the aggressors; and that nothing was attempted on our part but on the strictest principles of self-defence. The campaign was both brilliant and successful, owing to the judicious and masterly conduct of the Governor-General, the Marquis of Hastings, and reflected the highest honour on the bravery of the British Army.

His Royal Highness was farther happy to congratulate the Parliament on the trade, commerce, and manufactures of the country being in a most flourishing condition, affording a proof in the favourable changes which had taken place in the internal condition of the United Kingdom, of the extent and solidity of its resources.

The Speech concluded by stating his Royal Highness's disposition to concur and co-operate, by every means in his power, to secure to his Majesty's Subjects the full advantages of that state of peace which they had now under the blessing of Providence, the happiness to enjoy.

The fitting out two ships for a voyage of discovery to the North West, which are to sail early in the ensuing Spring, under the command of Lieut Parry, instead of Capt. Ross, is said to be determined upon. The following year another attempt will be made to sail to the North Pole direct.

MANCHESTER.

I noticed, in a former letter, the failure of the respectable House of Mr. John Kelsall, of this town. I have now the pleasure to state, that, from an examination of the books, it appears there will not only be enough to pay every creditor twenty shillings in the pound, but likewise a considerable reversion—Mr. Kelsall, has property in almost every quarter of the globe, having no less than eleven Agents at different foreign stations.

A Liverpool House, engaged largely in the Brazil trade, has stopped payment for a considerable amount. Some respectable Merchants and Manufacturers in this town will be losers by this failure to the amount of at least £60,000. These failures have, I am sorry to say, caused a temporary flatness in trade generally, and suspended all foreign speculation for the present and have occasioned the markets to be unusually dull; but there is reason to hope that the evil will not extend farther, and that its effects will not cause any permanent injury to the commercial interest.

The Fustian trade, which forms so important a branch of the commerce of this place, and which has been flat for some time past, has taken a sudden start, owing to some immense orders from Spain, Germany, and Russia that have arrived within these three days—one house has received an order for two thousand pieces for the Spanish market.

PORTSMOUTH—JULY 25.

It has blown a heavy gale all day, with tremendous gusts from S. and S.S.W. and still continues.—Arrived his Majesty's ship Revolutionnaire, from Plymouth; and the Pheasant, from a cruize. Two wherries upset in the harbour tide during the gale of last night and this morning, and three persons were drowned. The ships in the Roads have got yards and topmasts down, and appear to ride in safety.

DEAL, JANUARY 25.

Wind South blows hard.—Put back the whole of the outward-bound that sailed yesterday except his Majesty's ship Tribune, which ship still keeps to sea. It blew hard at intervals last night, during which the Essex, East-Indiaman, parted from her anchor. The John. Popplewell. and the Lyna, South-seaman, also parted, and drove a-thwart of each other, and both ships got damage. About 11, A. M. the schooner Nancy, drove a-thwart of a collier brig, which forced the latter to cut, and both went for Ramsgate harbour. Two P. M.—Wind S. blows hard, with a tremendous sea.—The Prince of Orange, SILK, has just parted and gone for Ramsgate harbour. The Eliza Ann, has lost an anchor and cable, and got other damage, having been run foul of, but remains in the Downs. Four o'Clock.—The Vansittart. East Indiaman has parted twice this afternoon, and has just let go another anchor which appears to hold her at present.—Five, P. M.—We do not hear of any other damage at present. The remainder of the outward bound appear to ride well, most of them with two anchors and top-gallant yards and mast down.

MARKETS.—JANUARY, 1ST.

COTTON.—Some descriptions have given way this week. By accounts from Liverpool, up to the 30th instant, the demand has been very good, and better price obtained. East-India Cotton more looked after, and Surats 1d. per lb. dearer. The total sales on Monday were 1500 bales; on Tuesday 1800, and on Wednesday 1834 bales.

Hon East-India Company's Declarations since our last.

COTTON WOOL (Licensed), per Princess Charlotte, Ceres. Hero, Cadmus, Melpomene, Metcalf, 1927 bales. For sale the 14th January—Prompt 23d April following.

SUGAR (Licensed), 32 hhds and 1504 bags.—COFFEE 50 bags.—RICE 1887 bags, MOLASSES 8 hhds, For sale the 27th January—Prompt 30th April following.

Wrought SILK (Private Trade), 4 boxes. For sale 2d February.

OIL of CASSIA 8 boxes, GINGER 827 bags SAGO 430. For sale 9th February—Prompt 7th May following.

Bengal RAW SILK (Private Trade), per Prince Orange, 30 bales. Do. per Mary, 19½ bales. Do. CHASSUM, per Mary Wilson, 64 bales. For sale 22d February—Prompt 16th July following.

ARRIVALS—IN DECEMBER.

ARRIVALS.—21. Deal, 25, Gravesend, Ann, Reynolds, from Bombay, Mauritius, and Cape.

23. Liverpool, Bridget, May, from Bombay 17th August.

28. Gravesend, Bombay Merchant, Clarkson, from Bombay.

EUROPE.

BIRTHS.—Nov. 4th, At Clay Hill, Enfield, the lady of Capt. Debnam, 65th Regt. of a Son.

At Blackheath, the lady of Capt. Larkins, of the H. C's ship Warren Hastings, of a daughter.

The lady of Major Orme, of Fitzroy-square, of a daughter.

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